

Amendments to the Claims:

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1-7. (Canceled)

8. (Currently Amended) A navigation system comprising a navigation apparatus and an external terminal that remotely controls this navigation apparatus, ~~characterized in that~~wherein:

the navigation apparatus comprises:

~~memory means~~ a memory that stores in advance a mail address of the external terminal;

a navigation module ~~mail generating means~~ that generates mail; and
a communication control module ~~wake-up means~~ that switches the navigation module ~~mail generating means~~ from a sleep mode to a wake-up mode due to an ignition signal of an automobile or an activation signal from the external terminal; ~~and~~

wherein the navigation module:

determining means ~~that determines~~ whether the wake-up mode is due to the ignition signal or due to the activation signal; and

wherein the mail generating means ~~acquires~~ its own IP address when it is determined that the wake-up mode is due to the activation ~~data~~ signal, generates a mail that contains this acquired IP address, and sends this mail to the external terminal that sent the activation ~~data~~ signal by using the mail address of the external terminal.

9. (Currently Amended) The navigation system according to claim 8, ~~characterized in that~~wherein:

the memory ~~means~~ is a first memory ~~means~~;

the navigation apparatus comprises:

a second memory ~~means~~ that stores in advance a fixed IP address of the navigation apparatus; and

~~wherein the mail generating means~~ navigation module reads and acquires the IP address that is stored in the second memory ~~means~~.

10. (Currently Amended) The navigation system according to claim 8, ~~characterized in that~~wherein:

the ~~mail generating means~~ navigation module acquires an assigned IP address from the external control ~~means~~ terminal that controls the navigation apparatus.

11-13. (Canceled)

14. (Currently Amended) A navigation apparatus enabling remote control by an external terminal, ~~characterized in~~ in the navigation apparatus comprising:
 a memory means that stores in advance a mail address of the external terminal;
 a navigation module ~~mail generating means~~; and
 a communication control module ~~wake-up means~~ that switches the a navigation module ~~mail generating means~~ from a sleep mode to a wake-up mode due to an ignition signal of an automobile or an activation signal from the external terminal; ~~and~~
 wherein the navigation module:
 _____ ~~determining means that~~ determines whether the wake-up mode is due to the ignition signal or the activation signal; and
 _____ ~~wherein the mail generating means~~ acquires its own IP address when it is determined that the wake-up mode is due to the activation signal, generates a mail containing this acquired IP address, and sends this mail to the external terminal that sent the activation ~~signal~~ data by using the mail address of the external terminal.

15. (Currently Amended) The navigation apparatus according to claim 14, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein:
 ~~when the memory means is a first memory~~ memory; ~~means~~;
 _____ the navigation apparatus ~~comprises:~~
 _____ ~~second~~ comprises a second memory ~~means~~ that stores a fixed IP address of the navigation apparatus; and
 ~~wherein the mail generating means~~ navigation module reads and acquires the IP address that is stored in the second memory ~~means~~.

16. (Currently Amended) The navigation apparatus according to claim 14, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein:
 the ~~mail generating means~~ navigation module acquires an assigned IP address from the external control mean ~~terminal~~ that controls the navigation apparatus.